WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 2017

THIRTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Madam Speaker Harwell.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Rep. Williams.

Representative Williams led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL

Representatives present were Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 85

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Windle; active military duty

Representative Wirgau; business

Representative DeBerry; business

Representative Ramsey; personal

Representative Howell; business

Representative McCormick; personal

Representative Pitts; personal

Representative Matlock; personal

Representative Powers; personal

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Representative Farmer; personal

Representative Favors; business

COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Ryan Williams 17 Legislative Plaza Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Child Fatality Prevention Team

Dear Rep. Williams:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 68-142-103(12), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Child Fatality Prevention Team. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner John J. Dreyzehner. Commissioner Dreyzehner's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this reappointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes.

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Commissioner John J. Dreyzehner, MD, MPH, FACOEM

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Antonio C. Parkinson 36 Legislative Plaza Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Child Fatality Prevention Team

Dear Rep. Parkinson:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 68-142-103(12), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Child Fatality Prevention Team. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner John J. Dreyzehner. Commissioner Dreyzehner's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this reappointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Commissioner John J. Dreyzehner, MD, MPH, FACOEM

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Phillip D. Noel, Director
Bedford County Emergency Communications District
843 Union Street
Shelbyville, TN 37160

Re: Emergency Communications Board

Dear Mr. Noel:

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As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 7-86-302(b)(1)(G), I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Emergency Communications Board, representing an emergency communications district, as an at large member. Your term commences July 1, 2017 and will expire on June 30, 2020.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner Julie Mix McPeak at the Department of Commerce and Insurance. Commissioner McPeak's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Commissioner Julie Mix McPeak - Department of Commerce and Insurance

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Ray Edward Stout 561 Doeville Road Butler, TN 37640

Re: Doe Mountain Recreation Authority Board of Directors

Dear Mr. Stout:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 11- 25-106(a)(13), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Doe Mountain Recreation Authority Board of Directors. Your term commences immediately and will expire on June 30, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Secretary of State, Tre Hargett and Larry Potter, Johnson County Mayor. Secretary Hargett's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this reappointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard

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of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Tre Hargett, Secretary of State Larry Potter, Johnson County Mayor Cody York, 8th Floor, Snodgrass Tower Don R. Johnson, G-7 State Capitol Bldg.

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Harry Brooks 117 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Compact for Education Commission of the States

Dear Rep. Brooks:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 49-12-201, I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Compact for Education Commission of the States. Your new term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to President Jeremy Anderson at Education Commission of the States. Mr. Anderson's office will be contacting you in the near future.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Jeremy Anderson, President - Education Commission of the States

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Barry Doss 106 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Transportation Coordination Committee

Dear Rep. Doss:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 4-3- 2311(b)(2)(B), as a member of the House Transportation Committee, I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Transportation Coordination Committee. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner of Transportation, John Schroer. Commissioner Schroer's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Commissioner John Schroer-Department of Transportation

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Sam Whitson 209 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Transportation Coordination Committee

Dear Rep. Whitson:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 4-3-2311 (b)(2)(B), I am appointing you to serve as a member of the Transportation Coordination Committee. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Commissioner of Transportation, John Schroer. Commissioner Schroer's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes.

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Commissioner John Schroer- Department of Transportation

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Jimmy Eldridge 208 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: West Tennessee River Basin Authority

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Dear Rep. Eldridge:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 64-1-1102(a)(1)(D), I am reappointing you, as a member of the majority party, to serve as a member of the West Tennessee River Basin Authority. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to the Commissioner of Environment and Conservation, Robert Martineau. Commissioner Martineau's staff will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes.

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Commissioner Robert Martineau- Department of Environment and Conservation

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Craig Fitzhugh 33 Legislative Plaza Nashville, TN 37243

Re: West Tennessee River Basin Authority

Dear Rep. Fitzhugh:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated,§ 64-1-1102(a)(1)(D), I am reappointing you, as a member of the minority party, to serve as a member of the West Tennessee River Basin Authority. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to the Commissioner of Environment and Conservation, Robert Martineau. Commissioner Martineau's staff will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

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I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Commissioner Robert Martineau- Department of Environment and Conservation

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Kevin Brooks 103 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Council on Children's Mental Health Care

Dear Rep. Brooks:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 37-3-111(c)(6), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Council on Children's Mental Health Care. Your new term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to the Council on Children's Mental Health Care. Commissioner Marie William's office will be contacting you in the near future.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes.

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

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Commissioner Marie Williams – Dept. of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services

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Scott Gilmer

Connie Ridley

Karen Garrett

Doug Himes

Tammy Letzler

COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. William Lamberth 22 Legislative Plaza Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Domestic Violence State Coordinating Council

Dear Rep. Lamberth:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 38-12-103(a)(19), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Domestic Violence State Coordinating Council. Your new term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Kathy Walsh at TCADSV. Ms. Walsh's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Kathy Walsh- TCADSV

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Connie Ridley

Karen Garrett

Doug Himes

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Tammy Letzler

COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Barbara Cooper 38 Legislative Plaza Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Downtown Memphis Commission - Inner-City Redevelopment District

Dear Rep. Cooper:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, §7-84-619(d), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Downtown Memphis Commission. Your new term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Downtown Memphis Commission. President Terence Patterson's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Terence Patterson, President- Downtown Memphis Commission

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Sabi Kumar G-28 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Tennessee Commission on Aging and Disability

Dear Rep. Kumar:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, §71-2-104(c)(1)(H), I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Tennessee Commission on Aging and Disability. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Deputy Director, Kathy Zamata. Director Zamata's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes,

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Kathy Zamata-Tennessee Commission on Aging and Disability

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COMMUNICATION May 10, 2017

Rep. Mark White 217 War Memorial Building Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Tennessee Commission on Holocaust Education

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Dear Rep. White:

As Speaker of the House of Representatives acting pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, § 4- 48-102, I am reappointing you to serve as a member of the Tennessee Commission on Holocaust Education. Your term commences immediately and will expire on November 6, 2018.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Executive Director, Danielle Kahane-Kaminsky. Director Kaminsky's office will be contacting you in the near future regarding this appointment.

I am confident that you will continue to perform the duties of office with the high standard of professionalism, dedication and integrity that the citizens of Tennessee deserve and expect of their public servants.

Best Wishes.

/s/ Speaker Beth Harwell

cc: Lt. Gov. Randy McNally

Danielle Kahane-Kaminsky, Executive Director- Tennessee Holocaust

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Connie Ridley

Karen Garrett

Doug Himes

Tammy Letzler

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Bill No. 438 Rep. Gilmore as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 531 Rep. Gilmore as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1041 Rep. Terry as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1207 Reps. Love, Sherrell and Doss as prime sponsors.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Senate Joint Resolution No. 448 -- Memorials, Recognition - Mt. Moriah Lodge #18, 200th anniversary. by *Ketron.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 450 -- Memorials, Sports - Scott Wietecha, 2017 St. Jude Rock 'n' Roll Nashville Marathon. by *Haile.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 451 -- Memorials, Death - Halbert Floyd Dennis. by *Gardenhire, *Watson, *Tracy, *McNally.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 452 -- Memorials, Recognition - Johnson County Middle School Robotics Team 3075B. by *Lundberg.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 453 -- Memorials, Recognition - Oakland High School, Excellence in Action Award. by *Ketron.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 455 -- Memorials, Recognition - Watauga Avenue Presbyterian Church, 125th anniversary. by *Crowe.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 456 -- Memorials, Retirement - Dawn Eaton. by *Ketron.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 457 -- Memorials, Recognition - Trevecca Community Church of the Nazarene, seventy-fifth anniversary. by *Beavers.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 458 -- Memorials, Congratulations - Congressman David Phillip "Phil" Roe and Clarinda Jeanes, wedding. by *Crowe, *Kelsey, *Overbey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 459 -- Memorials, Recognition - University High School. by *Crowe.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 460 -- Memorials, Recognition - Aaron Spradlin. by *Beavers.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 461 -- Memorials, Recognition - John Ziegler. by *Beavers.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 462 -- Memorials, Interns - Ryan Baird. by *McNally.

Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Dunn moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	82
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny,

McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 82

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE CALENDAR

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Bill No. 261 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state after January 1, 2016; schedules auctioneer commission rule defining "timed listings" for purposes of online auctions to expire on the effective date of the act. by *Faison, *Ragan. (*SB53 by *Bell)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 261 by deleting SECTION 2 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 2. The department of revenue shall be prohibited from collecting any internet sales or use taxes authorized under department rule 1320-05-01-.129(2) and permitted under a ruling of any court, until such court's ruling has been fully reviewed and rule 1320-05-01.129(2) has been approved by the general assembly pursuant to § 4-5-226.

Rep. Faison moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 261**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	73
Noes	7
Present and not voting	1

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hawk, Hicks, Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Travis, Turner, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 73

Representatives voting no were: Hardaway, Hill M., Hill T., Matheny, Pody, Rudd, Van Huss -- 7

Representatives present and not voting were: Butt -- 1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

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House Bill No. 237 -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the health services and development agency to June 30, 2019; requires the agency to update sunset review committee of the agency's progress in complying with Chapter 1043 of the Public Acts of 2016. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16. by *Faison, *White M.

Rep. Faison moved that House Bill No. 237 be considered after today's Message Calendar, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

*House Bill No. 335 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires THEC to publish in the Tennessee Postsecondary Education Fact Book information that TSAC and THEC collect annually on the Tennessee Promise scholarship program so that it is readily available to the public. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Kumar, *Hardaway. (SB585 by *Gresham)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 335 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-930, is amended by deleting subsection (b) in its entirety and substituting instead the following language:

An eligible student must submit an application for the dual enrollment grant each academic year. To be eligible for a dual enrollment grant for a semester beyond the first semester of receipt in an academic year, the student shall continue to meet all eligibility requirements for the grant and shall achieve a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 for all postsecondary courses attempted under a dual enrollment grant.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 50, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

Full-time employees of the state eligible for a waiver of tuition and fees pursuant to § 8-50-114 who are required to work more hours each week than typically required of full-time employment for at least four (4) weeks per year shall be exempt from the requirement that the waiver be used for only one (1) course at a time. Certification of eligibility for this exemption shall be completed by the applicant's employer at the time of application for the waiver. Nothing in this section shall allow an employee to exceed enrollment in more than four (4) courses per academic year.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

Rep. Kumar moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 335**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	83
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 83

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

*House Bill No. 438 -- Energy - As introduced, creates the Tennessee energy policy council to make recommendations to the governor and general assembly on how to manage energy resources in this state. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 59; Title 60; Title 65 and Title 68. by *Ragan, *Powers, *Reedy, *White M, *Hardaway. (SB1250 by *Norris)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 438 by deleting all language after the caption and substituting instead the following:

WHEREAS, energy is essential to the health, safety, and welfare of the people of this State and to the workings of the State economy; and

WHEREAS, it is in the State's best interest to support the development of a reliable and adequate supply of energy for Tennessee that is secure, stable, and predictable in order to facilitate economic growth, job creation, and expansion of business and industry opportunities; and

WHEREAS, it is also in the State's best interest to support the exploration, development, and production of domestic energy supplies, preferably from the resources within the State or region and most certainly from within the country; and

WHEREAS, state government has a duty to protect and preserve the State's natural resources, cultural heritage, and quality of life and, above all, the public health and safety of its residents during the exploration, development, and production of domestic energy resources; and

WHEREAS, it is critical that this State provide the basis for development of a long-range unified energy policy to encompass comprehensive energy resource planning and efficient management of existing energy resources in relation to economic growth, to effectively meet an energy crisis, to encourage development of alternative sources of energy that are capable of achieving a positive benefit-to-cost ratio, and to ensure efficient utilization of energy resources in a manner consistent with assuring a reliable and adequate supply of energy for Tennessee, including active support and collaboration with the federal government to ensure access to the nation's energy resources; and

WHEREAS, the development of a unified domestic energy policy for the State of Tennessee as part of a nationwide effort for increased domestic energy production is paramount to our national security and economic growth and stability; now, therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-240(a), is amended by inserting the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:
 - () State energy policy council, created by § 68-204-101;
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, is amended by adding the following language as a new chapter:
- **68-204-101.** There is created the state energy policy council, to be administratively attached to the office of the comptroller of the treasury.
- **68-204-102.** For the purposes of this chapter, "council" means the state energy policy council.

68-204-103.

- (a) The council is created to advise and make recommendations to the governor and to the general assembly on how to:
 - (1) Identify all state energy resources to ensure a secure, stable, and more predictable energy supply;
 - (2) Manage the use of energy resources; and
 - (3) Increase domestic energy exploration, development, and production within the state and region, with the goal of promoting economic growth and job creation while ensuring the protection and preservation of the state's natural resources, cultural heritage, and quality of life.

- (b) The council shall have the following general duties and responsibilities:
 - (1) Compile an annual report assessing the energy sector in this state, including the opportunities and the constraints presented by various uses of energy, to facilitate the expansion of the domestic energy supply, and to encourage the efficient use of all such energy forms in a manner consistent with state energy policy;
 - (2) Develop an ongoing comprehensive state energy policy plan to achieve maximum effective management and use of present and future sources of energy. The policy plan may include energy efficiency, renewable and alternative sources of energy, research and development into alternative energy technologies, and improvements to the state's energy infrastructure and energy economy, including smart grid and domestic energy resources, including, but not limited to, natural gas, coal, hydroelectric power, solar, wind, nuclear, and biomass;
 - (3) Create an annual energy policy plan that recommends:
 - (A) Necessary energy legislation to the governor and to the general assembly;
 - (B) The promulgation of necessary rules to regulatory boards charged with administering this title; and
 - (C) The implementation and modification of energy policy, plans, and programs as the council considers necessary and desirable;
 - (4) Continually review and coordinate all state government research, education, and management programs relating to energy matters:
 - (5) Educate and inform the general public regarding any energy matters; and
 - (6) Actively engage in discussions with federal government agencies and leaders to identify opportunities to increase domestic energy supply within this state.
- (c) The council shall serve as the central energy policy planning body of the state and shall communicate and cooperate with federal, state, regional, and local bodies and agencies for the purpose of affecting a coordinated energy policy.

68-204-104.

- (a) The council shall be comprised of fourteen (14) members as follows:
 - (1) The governor or the governor's designee shall serve as an ex officio, voting member of the council;
 - (2) The governor shall appoint:
 - (A) One (1) representative of energy resource extraction or energy production industries, excluding the Tennessee Valley authority, who may be appointed from lists of qualified persons submitted by interested energy resource extraction or energy production industries including, but not limited to, the biofuel, oil and gas, wind, coal, solar energy, geothermal energy, hydropower, and nuclear energy industries. The governor shall consult with the industries listed in this subdivision (a)(2)(A) to determine qualified persons to fill the position on the council:
 - (B) One (1) representative of a commercial, industrial, or agricultural energy consumer; and
 - (C) One (1) representative of an institution of higher education in this state;
 - (3) The speaker of the house of representatives shall appoint:
 - (A) One (1) representative of the energy research and development industry, who may be selected from lists of qualified persons submitted by interested research and development industries, including, but not limited to, the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. The speaker shall consult with the industries described in this subdivision (a)(3)(A) to determine qualified persons to fill the position on the council;
 - (B) One (1) representative of the Tennessee Valley authority;
 - (C) One (1) representative of a local distribution utility; and
 - (D) One (1) representative of a transportationrelated industry; including, but not limited to, wholesalers, transportation equipment manufacturers, shipping companies, and local transit authorities;
 - (4) The speaker of the senate shall appoint: 2052

- (A) Two (2) residential energy users;
- (B) One (1) representative of environmental groups; and
- (C) One (1) representative who is knowledgeable of and has expertise in energy efficiency and energy conservation as it relates to the built environment, who may be selected from lists of qualified persons submitted by interested parties from the engineering and architectural professions in this state. The speaker shall consult with the professions described in this subdivision (a)(4)(C) to determine qualified persons to fill the position on the council;
- (5) The state treasurer or the treasurer's designee shall serve as an ex officio, nonvoting member of the council; and
- (6) One (1) nonvoting student member with expertise in energy issues and energy policy, who, during the person's tenure as a member of the council, is enrolled as a graduate student in an institution of higher education in this state. The student member shall be appointed by the council from nominations submitted by university faculty members at such institutions.
- (b) In addition to any other requirements for membership on the council, all persons appointed or otherwise named to serve as members of the council shall be bona fide residents of this state, and shall continue to reside in this state during their tenure on the council.

(c)

- (1) All appointments to the council shall be made by July 1, 2017.
- (2) In order to stagger the terms of the newly appointed council members, initial appointments shall be made as follows:
 - (A) The members listed in subdivision (a)(2) shall serve initial terms of one (1) year, which shall expire on June 30, 2018;
 - (B) The members listed in subdivision (a)(3) shall serve initial terms of two (2) years, which shall expire on June 30, 2019; and
 - (C) The members listed in subdivision (a)(4) shall serve initial terms of three (3) years, which shall expire on June 30, 2020.

(3) The student member appointed pursuant to subdivision (a)(6) shall serve a term of two (2) years, but shall not serve more than two (2) consecutive terms as a member of the council.

(d)

- (1) Following the expiration of members' initial terms as prescribed in subdivision (c)(2), all three-year terms shall begin on July 1 and terminate on June 30, three (3) years thereafter.
- (2) All members shall serve until the expiration of the term to which they were appointed and until their successors are appointed and qualified.
- (3) In case of a vacancy in the membership on the council prior to the expiration of a member's term, a successor shall be appointed within thirty (30) days of the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term by the appropriate appointing authority and in the same manner as the original appointment.
- (e) The appointing authorities may remove any member of the council for misconduct, incompetency, willful neglect of duty, or other just cause.
- (f) Prior to beginning their duties, each member of the council shall take and subscribe to the oath of office provided for state officers.
- (g) In making appointments to the council, the appointing authorities shall strive to ensure that the council is composed of persons who are diverse in professional or educational background, ethnicity, race, sex, geographic residency, heritage, perspective, and experience.

68-204-105.

- (a) The chair of the council shall be appointed by the governor from among the council's membership and shall call the first meeting of the council. The chair shall serve in that capacity for one (1) year and shall be eligible for reappointment. The chair shall preside at all meetings and shall have all the powers and privileges of the other members.
- (b) Each member, upon expiration of the member's term, shall continue to hold office until a successor is appointed.
- (c) A majority of those members serving on the council shall constitute a quorum.
- (d) Members appointed pursuant to § 68-204-104(a)(2)-(4) shall be eligible for reappointment to the council following the expiration of their terms, but shall serve no more than two (2) consecutive three-year terms.

- (e) Members shall receive no compensation for their service on the council, but shall be reimbursed for travel and other necessary expenses incurred in the performance of official duties in accordance with the state comprehensive travel regulations as promulgated by the commissioner of finance and administration and approved by the attorney general and reporter.
- (f) The council shall adopt and implement a conflict of interest policy for its members. The policy shall mandate annual written disclosures of financial interests, other possible conflicts of interest, and an acknowledgement by council members that they have read and understand all aspects of the policy. The policy shall also require persons who are to be appointed to the council to acknowledge, as a condition of appointment, that they are not in conflict with the conditions of the policy.

68-204-106.

(a) To facilitate the work of the council and for administrative purposes, the chair of the council, with the consent and approval of the members, shall organize the work of the council to carry out the requirements of this chapter and to ensure the efficient operation of the council.

(b) The council shall:

- (1) Adopt its own rules of procedure;
- (2) Meet quarterly, with members to be physically present at a minimum of two (2) quarterly meetings each calendar year. Members may also participate by teleconference call, provided that all other requirements of this subdivision (b)(2) are met. Emergency meetings may be called by the chair or upon petition by a majority of the council, with written notice being given to all members; and
- (3) Make nonsubstantive policy relating to the administrative operation of the council.

68-204-107.

- (a) The council may request information from any state officer, office, department, commission, board, bureau, institution, or other agency of the state and its political subdivisions that is deemed necessary to carry out the requirements of this chapter. All officers and agencies shall cooperate with the council and, to the extent permitted by law, furnish any information to the council that it may request.
- (b) To assure the adequate development of relevant energy information, the council may request energy producers and major energy consumers, as determined by the council, to file any reports and 2055

forecasts; however, the council may request only specific energy-related information that it deems necessary to carry out its duties.

- (c) The council is authorized to apply for and utilize grants, contributions, appropriations, and any other sources of revenue which shall be deposited in the energy policy development resources fund created under § 68-204-109, in order to carry out its duties; however, all applications and requests for grants and other revenues shall be made through and administered by the office of the comptroller of the treasury.
- (d) The council may request the office of the comptroller of the treasury to allocate and dispense any funds made available to the council for energy research and related work efforts in such a manner as the council determines; provided, that the funds shall be used in furtherance of the purposes of this chapter.
- (e) The council shall be attached to the office of the comptroller of the treasury for administrative matters relating to budgeting, audit, and other related items only. The autonomy and authority of the council are not affected by such attachment, and the office of the comptroller of the treasury shall have no administrative or supervisory control over the council.
- (f) All administrative costs of the council, including, but not limited to, the cost of the annual reports required pursuant to § 68-204-108, shall be payable out of any funds allocated to and received by the council.

68-204-108.

- (a) The council shall compile, compose, and publish, and transmit to the governor, the speaker of the senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives, two (2) annual comprehensive reports as follows:
 - (1) An annual assessment of the state's energy sector as prescribed in § 68-204-103(b)(1), to be facilitated by the Howard H. Baker Jr. Center for Public Policy at the University of Tennessee; and
 - (2) A report to create a comprehensive state energy policy plan as prescribed in § 68-204-103(b)(2).
- (b) The annual assessment of the state's energy sector, as prescribed in subdivision (a)(1), shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - (1) The statewide projected growth and development as it relates to future requirements for energy, including patterns of urban and metropolitan expansion, shifts in transportation modes, modifications in building types and design, and other trends and

factors which, as determined by the council, will significantly affect energy needs; and

- (2) An assessment of growth trends in energy consumption and production, and an identification of potential adverse social, economic, or environmental impacts which may be imposed by a continuation of the present trends, including a rise in energy costs to consumers, significant increases in air, water, and other forms of pollution, threats to public health and safety, and a loss of scenic and natural areas.
- (c) The comprehensive state energy policy plan, as prescribed in subdivision (a)(2) shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - (1) Recommendations to the governor and the general assembly for additional administrative and legislative actions on energy matters in the context of the current energy sector in this state; and
 - (2) A summary of the council's activities since the last filing of the energy policy plan, a description of major plans developed by the council, an assessment of plan implementation, and a review of council plans and programs for the coming biennium.

68-204-109.

- (a) There is created a special account in the state treasury to be administered by the office of the comptroller of the treasury and to be known as the energy policy development resources fund, referred to in this section as the "energy resources fund."
- (b) The comptroller may disburse moneys in the energy resources fund to the council for the following purposes:
 - (1) Developing the comprehensive state energy policy plan, as prescribed in § 68-204-103;
 - (2) In furtherance of the purposes of this chapter; and
 - (3) To offset the cost of administering this chapter.
- (c) A grant from the energy resources fund shall be disbursed in an annual amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). It is the legislative intent that the annual amount be appropriated each fiscal year in the general appropriations act for awarding a grant.

68-204-110.

- (a) Nothing in this chapter amends or repeals in any manner the Energy Efficient Schools Initiative (EESI) of 2008, compiled in title 49, chapter 17, or other provisions of law relating to the energy efficient schools council and its powers, duties, and functions.
- (b) Nothing in this chapter applies to the powers, duties, and functions undertaken pursuant to the authority of the Energy Efficient Schools Initiative (EESI) of 2008, compiled in title 49, chapter 17.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of appointing members of the council, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.

Senate Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Bill No. 438 by deleting 68-204-104(a)(4) from Section 2 and substituting the following:

- (4) The speaker of the senate shall appoint:
 - (A) One (1) residential energy user;
 - (B) One (1) representative of environmental groups;
- (C) One (1) representative of the industries that provide natural gas to consumers in this state; and
- (D) One (1) representative who is knowledgeable of and has expertise in energy efficiency and energy conservation as it relates to the built environment, who may be selected from lists of qualified persons submitted by interested parties from the engineering and architectural professions in this state. The speaker shall consult with the professions described in this subdivision (a)(4)(D) to determine qualified persons to fill the position on the council;

Rep. Ragan moved that the House concur in Senate Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 to **House Bill No. 438**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	84
Noes	C

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell,

Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 84

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

*House Bill No. 531 -- Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, enacts the Tennessee reconnect grant. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9. by *Hawk, *Casada, *Powers, *Johnson, *Hazlewood, *Brooks K, *White M, *Crawford, *Staples, *Akbari, *Calfee, *Smith, *Carter, *Hicks, *Ragan, *Byrd, *Camper, *Windle, *Sanderson, *Williams, *Faison, *Favors, *Forgety, *Fitzhugh, *Love, *Hardaway, *Lynn, *Clemmons, *Lamberth, *Beck, *Howell, *Daniel, *Keisling, *Mitchell, *Thompson, *Jernigan. (SB1218 by *Norris, *Crowe, *Gresham, *Harper, *Jackson, *Kelsey, *Massey, *Stevens, *Tate)

Senate Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Bill No. 531 by deleting the effective date section and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 10. Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, and 9 of this act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. All other sections of this act shall take effect August 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.

Rep. Hawk moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 2 to **House Bill No. 531**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	81
Noes	3

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 81

Representatives voting no were: Holt, Terry, Zachary -- 3

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 671 -- Election Laws - As introduced, authorizes certain members of a board of public utilities to serve as a member of a county election commission; prescribes the process for certifying new voting systems for use in this state. - Amends TCA Section 2-1-112 and Section 2-9-117. by *Carr . (SB925 by *Ketron, *Yager)

Rep. Carr moved that the House adopt the Conference Committee Report and make it the action of the House.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 671

The House and Senate Conference Committee appointed pursuant to motions to resolve the differences between the two houses on House Bill No. 671 (Senate Bill No. 975) has met and recommends that all amendments be deleted.

The Committee further recommends that the following amendment be adopted:

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-9-117, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following new subsection (b):
 - (b) The state coordinator of elections and the state election commission shall certify each voting system for purchase and use in the state. In determining whether a voting system may be certified, the state coordinator of elections and the state election commission shall consider, at a minimum, the following:
 - (1) Whether any new voting system has been certified by the election assistance commission;
 - (2) The history of ethical conduct in the sales of the voting system by the manufacturer or seller;
 - (3) The ability of the manufacturer or seller of the voting system to provide adequate professional assistance and service to the counties of this state; and
 - (4) The performance of the voting system in an election of a substantial size in another state or in an approved jurisdiction within this state. The voting system must be viewed by at least two (2) state election commissioners of opposite political parties and the coordinator of elections, or the coordinator's designee. The jurisdiction where the voting system is viewed must be agreed upon by a majority of the members on the state election commission.

- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-1-112(a), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:
 - (4) A former administrator of elections appointed pursuant to § 2-12-116 shall not serve as a member of the appointing county election commission.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

/s/ Senator Ketron /s/ Representative Carr

/s/ Senator Tate /s/ Representative Pody

/s/ Senator Beavers /s/ Representative Cooper

Rep. Pody moved the previous question on the Conference Committee Report on House Bill No. 671.

Rep. Pody moved to withdraw the previous question, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Carr requested that House Bill No. 671 be moved to the heel of the Message Calendar, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Bill No. 910 -- Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products - As introduced, removes statutory allocations to the general fund from certain fuel tax revenues; reallocates certain allocations. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 3, Part 9. by *Wirgau, *Carter, *Travis, *Hazlewood. (*SB230 by *Green, *Bailey)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 910 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following: SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-3-901, is amended by deleting subsection (g) and substituting instead the following:

- (g) Prior to the apportionment set out in subsections (b), (c), (d) and (f), there shall be apportioned for distribution to the wildlife resources fund an amount equal to five thousand three hundred forty-four tenthousandths of one percent (0.5344%) of the taxes collected under \S 67-3-201, exclusive of tax revenues resulting from the three cents (3¢) per gallon gasoline tax increase imposed by chapter 46 of the Public Acts of 1989 and all tax revenues resulting from the gasoline tax increase imposed by chapter 181 of the Public Acts of 2017.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-3-901(b), is amended by deleting subdivisions (3) and (4) and substituting instead the following:

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- (3) Twenty-eight and sixty-eight hundredths percent (28.68%) of total taxes collected to the various counties of the state on the basis set out in § 54-4-103;
- (4) Fourteen and thirty-eight hundredths percent (14.38%) of total taxes collected to the various municipalities, as defined by § 54-4-201, on the basis set out at § 54-4-203; and

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.

Rep. Dunn moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 910**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	8′
Noes	

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 81

Representatives voting no were: Hardaway, Parkinson -- 2

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

*House Bill No. 1041 -- Sentencing - As introduced, establishes a sentencing enhancement factor for defendants who are aliens illegally or unlawfully in the United States and who have previously been deported for committing a criminal offense. - Amends TCA Title 40. by *Gant, *Reedy, *Travis, *Moody, *Hill T, *Hawk, *Zachary, *Casada, *Johnson, *Carter, *Sexton C, *Marsh, *Hill M, *Faison, *Goins, *Littleton, *VanHuss, *Sherrell, *Holsclaw, *Eldridge, *Kane, *Carr, *Matlock, *Tillis, *Lollar, *Daniel, *Williams, *Hazlewood, *Matheny, *Butt, *Coley, *McDaniel, *Byrd, *Weaver, *Powers, *Crawford, *Calfee, *Alexander, *Ragan, *Sexton J. (SB1260 by *Norris, *Bell, *Stevens, *Bailey, *Bowling, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Hensley, *Niceley)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 1041 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-35-114, is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

At the time the instant offense was committed, the defendant was illegally or unlawfully in the United States;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.

Rep. Gant moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 1041**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	67
Noes	13
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carter, Casada, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Moody, Pody, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Sherrell, Smith, Staples, Swann, Terry, Tillis, Travis, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 67

Representatives voting no were: Clemmons, Gilmore, Hardaway, Jones, Mitchell, Parkinson, Powell, Sanderson, Shaw, Stewart, Thompson, Towns, Turner -- 13

Representatives present and not voting were: White M. -- 1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "not voting" to "no" on motion to concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 1041** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. Love.

MESSAGE CALENDAR, CONTINUED

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Bill No. 1207 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, requires the department of health to identify the prescribers who are in the top 20 percent prescribers of opioids in this state; requires the identified prescriber to comply with certain requirements after being notified that such provider is a high volume opioid prescriber. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 33; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 49; Title 53; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Kumar, *Johnson, *Terry, *Butt, *Ragan, *Brooks K, *Gravitt, *Holsclaw, *Powell, *Daniel, *Curcio, *Keisling, *Powers. (*SB1041 by *Haile, *Crowe, *Bailey, *Tracy)

Rep. Kumar moved that the House non-concur in Senate Amendments Nos. 1, 2 and 3 to House Bill No. 1207, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 671 -- Election Laws - As introduced, authorizes certain members of a board of public utilities to serve as a member of a county election commission; prescribes the process for certifying new voting systems for use in this state. - Amends TCA Section 2-1-112 and Section 2-9-117. by *Carr . (SB925 by *Ketron, *Yager)

Rep. Carr requested that **House Bill No. 671** be moved to the heel on the next Message Calendar, which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 237 -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the health services and development agency to June 30, 2019; requires the agency to update sunset review committee of the agency's progress in complying with Chapter 1043 of the Public Acts of 2016. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16. by *Faison, *White M.

On motion, House Bill No. 237 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 76**; the Senate Bill was substituted from the House Bill.

- Rep. Faison moved that Senate Bill No. 76 be passed on third and final consideration.
- Rep. Ragan moved that Government Operations Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.
- Rep. C. Sexton moved that House Amendment No. 2 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.
 - Rep. Williams moved adoption of House Amendment No. 3 as follows:

Amendment No. 3

AMEND Senate Bill No. 76 by deleting SECTION 2 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-239(a), is amended by inserting the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() Health services and development agency, created by § 68-11-1604;

On motion, House Amendment No. 3 was adopted.

Rep. Faison moved that **Senate Bill No. 76**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	83
Noes	
Present and not voting	1

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 83

Representatives voting no were: Daniel -- 1

Representatives present and not voting were: Rudd -- 1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

*House Bill No. 1306 -- General Assembly - As introduced, creates a special joint committee to study issues relating to the investigation and prosecution of unsolved civil rights crimes and cold cases from the civil rights era. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Turner, *Hardaway, *Parkinson, *Mitchell, *Jernigan, *Thompson, *Akbari, *Favors, *Gilmore, *Clemmons, *Towns, *Staples, *Cooper, *Love, *Ramsey.

Rep. Turner moved to lift from the table the motion to reconsider the action in concurring in Senate Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1306, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Turner moved to reconsider action in concurring in Senate Amendment No. 1, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Turner moved to nonconcur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 1306**, which motion prevailed.

RECESS MOTION

Rep. Williams moved that the House stand in recess until 10:30 a.m., which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 463; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Joint Resolution No. 463 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ellis L. Haguewood. by *Kelsey.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 464; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Joint Resolution No. 464 -- General Assembly, Adjournment - Adjourns 2017 session on May 10, 2017. by *Norris.

RECESS EXPIRED

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by Madam Speaker Harwell.

ROLL CALL DISPENSED

On motion of Rep. Casada the roll call was dispensed with.

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Representative Williams was recognized in the Well to introduce the duo Dailey and Vincent who sang "I'll Leave My Heart in Tennessee".

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EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Hazlewood

Representative Matheny

PRESENT IN CHAMBER

Reps. Beck and McCormick were recorded as being present in the Chamber.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 120; The Senate concurred in House Amendment No(s). 3 and, The Senate nonconcurred in House Amendment No(s). 1,2.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Senate Bill No. 120 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, enacts the "Organized Retail Crime Prevention Act." - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 1. by *Briggs, *Bowling, *Lundberg, *Overbey, *Bailey, *Massey, *Yager.

Rep. Zachary moved to lift from table the motion to reconsider action in passing Senate Bill No. 120, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Zachary moved to reconsider action in passing Senate Bill No. 120, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Zachary moved that Senate Bill No. 120, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Lamberth moved that the House reconsider its action in adopting Amendment No. 1, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Lamberth moved that Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Sargent moved that the House reconsider its action in adopting House Amendment No. 2, which motion prevailed.

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Rep. Sargent moved that Amendment No. 2 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Zachary moved that **Senate Bill No. 120**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	 84
Noes	 0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 84

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 703; The Senate concurred in House Amendment No(s). 1 and, The Senate nonconcurred in House Amendment No(s). 2.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Senate Bill No. 703 -- Alcoholic Beverage Commission - As introduced, requires that the annual report filed by the executive director of the commission with the general assembly regarding rules promulgated by the commission be filed electronically. - Amends TCA Title 57. by *Yager, *Kelsey.

Rep. Littleton moved to lift from table the motion to reconsider action in passing Senate Bill No. 703, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Littleton moved to reconsider action in passing Senate Bill No. 703, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Littleton moved that Senate Bill No. 703, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration.

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Rep. Sargent moved that the House reconsider its action in adopting House Amendment No. 2, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Sargent moved that Amendment No. 2 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Littleton moved that **Senate Bill No. 703**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	66
Noes	14
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hawk, Hicks, Holsclaw, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Love, Marsh, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Travis, Turner, Weaver, White D., Whitson, Williams, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 66

Representatives voting no were: Doss, Gant, Hardaway, Hill M., Hill T., Holt, Keisling, Lynn, Pody, Sexton J., Towns, Van Huss, White M., Zachary -- 14

Representatives present and not voting were: Alexander, Butt, Lollar, Sparks -- 4

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 1016; The Senate nonconcurred in House Amendment No(s). 1

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

Senate Bill No. 1016 -- Coroners - As introduced, removes the Tennessee medical examiner advisory council from its wind down period so it will not terminate on June 30, 2017; extends council to June 30, 2018; renames and restructures the council into a 21-member body with broad authority to disapprove administrative action and legislative proposals affecting medical examiners from department of health and state chief medical examiner. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 38, Chapter 7, Part 2. by *Gardenhire.

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Rep. Love moved to lift from table the motion to reconsider action in passing Senate Bill No. 1016, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Love moved to reconsider action in passing Senate Bill No. 1016, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Love moved that Senate Bill No. 1016, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Faison moved that the House reconsider its action in adopting House Amendment No. 1, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Faison moved that Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Love moved that **Senate Bill No. 1016**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	 	 	 	 	 	 85
Noes	 	 	 	 	 	 0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 85

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, HB711; The Senate refused to recede from its action in adopting Senate amendment number two.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

House Bill No. 711 -- Orders of Protection - As introduced, allows the respondent to an ex parte order of protection to waive the right to a hearing on the order within 15 days of issuance if the respondent acknowledges that the ex parte order will remain in effect until the hearing is held and the court finds that the interests of justice require the continuance of the hearing. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6. by *Whitson, *Carter, *Hardaway.

BILL HELD ON DESK

Rep. Whitson moved that **House Bill No. 711** be held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 671. The Senate acceded to the request of the House for the appointment of a new conference Committee. The Speaker appointed a Conference Committee composed of Senators: Ketron, Beavers & Tate to confer with a like committee from the House in open conference to resolve the differences between the bodies on House Bill No. 671

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 671 -- Election Laws - As introduced, authorizes certain members of a board of public utilities to serve as a member of a county election commission; prescribes the process for certifying new voting systems for use in this state. - Amends TCA Section 2-1-112 and Section 2-9-117. by *Carr . (SB925 by *Ketron, *Yager)

Rep. Carr moved that **House Bill No. 671** be reset for the first Message Calendar of 2018, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, HB16; The Senate refused to recede from its action in adopting Senate amendment number one.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 16 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, authorizes members of the general assembly and political campaign committees to fundraise during a recess in even-numbered years if the general assembly adjourns before May 15 for a period of not less than 10 calendar days, Sundays excepted. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10, Part 3. by *Goins.

Rep. Goins moved that the House refuse to recede from its action in nonconcurring in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 16**, which motion prevailed.

ON HOUSE BILL NO. 16

Pursuant to **Rule No. 73**, Representative Goins moved that the Speaker appoint a Committee of the House to meet with the like Committee of the Senate to resolve the differences between the two bodies on House Bill No. 16, which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Representatives Goins, Casada and Holt as the House members of the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 16.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 125; The Senate nonconcurred in House Amendment No(s). 1.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*Senate Bill No. 125 -- Flags - As introduced, makes the display of the P.O.W.-M.I.A. flag over the capitol on any day that the U.S. flag is flown over the capitol mandatory rather than permissive. - Amends TCA Section 4-1-406 and Title 58, Chapter 4, Part 3. by *Green, *Crowe, *Niceley.

Rep. Holt moved that the House refuse to recede from its action in nonconcurring in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **Senate Bill No. 125**, which motion prevailed.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. M. White moved that the rules be suspended for the immediate consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 463 out of order, which motion prevailed.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 463 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ellis L. Haguewood. by *Kelsey.

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On motion of Rep. M. White, the resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 125. The Senate refused to recede from its action in nonconcurring in House Amendment(s) No. 1. The Speaker appointed a Conference Committee composed of Senators: Bell, Crowe, Tate, and Green to confer with a like committee from the House in open conference to resolve the differences between the bodies on Senate Bill No. 125.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*Senate Bill No. 125 -- Flags - As introduced, makes the display of the P.O.W.-M.I.A. flag over the capitol on any day that the U.S. flag is flown over the capitol mandatory rather than permissive. - Amends TCA Section 4-1-406 and Title 58, Chapter 4, Part 3. by *Green, *Crowe, *Niceley.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE APPOINTED ON SENATE BILL NO. 125

Pursuant to **Rule No. 73**, Representative Holt acceded to the request of the Senate and moved that the Speaker appoint a Committee of the House to meet with a like Committee of the Senate to resolve the differences between the two bodies on Senate Bill No. 125, which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Representatives Holt, Forgety, Ragan and Camper as the House members of the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 125.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, HB1207. The Senate moved to lift from the table the motion to reconsider on HB1207. The Senate moved to reconsider its action in passing HB1207. The Senate moved to reconsider its action in adopting Amendments No(s). one and two. The Senate withdrew Amendment No(s). one and two. The Senate repassed HB1207 as amended.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

House Bill No. 1207, -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, requires the department of health to identify the prescribers who are in the top 20 percent prescribers of opioids in this state; requires the identified prescriber to comply with certain requirements after being notified that such provider is a high volume opioid prescriber. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 33; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 49; Title 53; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Kumar, *Johnson, *Terry, *Butt, *Ragan, *Brooks K, *Gravitt, *Holsclaw, *Powell, *Daniel, *Curcio, *Keisling, *Powers.

Rep. Kumar moved to lift from the table the motion to reconsider action in nonconcurring in Senate Amendment No. 3 to House Bill No. 1207, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Kumar moved to reconsider action in nonconcurring in Senate Amendment No. 3, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Kumar moved to concur in Senate Amendment No. 3 to House Bill No. 1207.

Rep. C. Sexton moved the previous question, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Kumar moved to concur in Senate Amendment No. 3 to **House Bill No. 1207**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	. / '	l
Noes	7	7
Present and not voting		

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McDaniel, Miller, Moody, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 71

Representatives voting no were: Jones, Mitchell, Parkinson, Powell, Staples, Stewart, Towns -- 7

Representatives present and not voting were: Camper -- 1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "aye" to "no" on the motion to concur in Senate Amendment No. 3 to **House Bill No. 1207** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. Gilmore.

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 1209; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Bill No. 1209 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, expands the immunity from arrest, charge, or prosecution to persons seeking medical assistance for drug overdoses to apply to any overdose instead of only a person's first drug overdose. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Fitzhugh, *Miller, *Akbari, *Camper, *Towns, *Staples, *Hardaway, *Clemmons, *Stewart, *Powell, *Turner.

Rep. Fitzhugh moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 2 to **House Bill No. 1209**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	79
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 79

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 4, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, House Bill No. 275. The Senate refused to recede from its action in adopting Senate Amendment(s) No. 1. The Speaker appointed a Conference Committee composed of Senators: Overbey, Yager, and Yarbro to confer with a like committee from the House in open conference to resolve the differences between the bodies on House Bill No. 275.

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member has been excused, pursuant to request under **Rule No. 20:**

Representative Calfee

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 275 -- Financial Disclosure - As introduced, requires a member of the general assembly to disclose travel expenses paid on behalf of the member by a person with an interest in a public policy of this state if the travel was for the purpose of informing or advising the member with respect to the policy. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10, Part 1; Title 3, Chapter 6 and Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 5. by *McCormick, *Clemmons, *Daniel, *Kumar, *Powell, *Williams.

Rep. McCormick requested that House Bill No. 275 be moved down one space, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, SB125; The Senate adopted the Conference Committee Report and made it the action of the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*Senate Bill No. 125 -- Flags - As introduced, makes the display of the P.O.W.-M.I.A. flag over the capitol on any day that the U.S. flag is flown over the capitol mandatory rather than permissive. - Amends TCA Section 4-1-406 and Title 58, Chapter 4, Part 3. by *Green, *Crowe, *Niceley.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 125

The House and Senate Conference Committee appointed pursuant to motions to resolve the differences between the two houses on Senate Bill No. 125 (House Bill No. 73) has met and recommends that all amendments be deleted.

The Committee further recommends that the following amendment be adopted:

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 58-4-301(a), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(a)

- (1) On days that neither house of the general assembly is in session during the month of September, the P.O.W.-M.I.A. flag must be displayed over the state capitol in accordance with § 4-1-406(a), on any day the United States flag is displayed, in order to increase public awareness of the P.O.W.-M.I.A. issue and to gain public support for the efforts of the United States government to resolve this matter.
- (2) Beginning June 30, 2017, the P.O.W.-M.I.A. flag must be displayed daily below the United States flag in War Memorial Plaza and in Vietnam Veterans Park.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

/s/ Senator Bell /s/ Representative Holt
/s/ Senator Tate /s/ Representative Forgety
/s/ Senator Green /s/ Representative Ragan
/s/ Senator Crowe /s/ Representative Camper

Rep. Holt moved that the Report of the Conference Committee on **Senate Bill No. 125** be adopted and made the action of the house, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	83
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 83

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 4, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, House Bill No. 275. The Senate refused to recede from its action in adopting Senate Amendment(s) No. 1. The Speaker appointed a Conference Committee composed of Senators: Overbey, Yager, and Yarbro to confer with a like committee from the House in open conference to resolve the differences between the bodies on House Bill No. 275.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 275 -- Financial Disclosure - As introduced, requires a member of the general assembly to disclose travel expenses paid on behalf of the member by a person with an interest in a public policy of this state if the travel was for the purpose of informing or advising the member with respect to the policy. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10, Part 1; Title 3, Chapter 6 and Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 5. by *McCormick, *Clemmons, *Daniel, *Kumar, *Powell, *Williams.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 275

The House and Senate Conference Committee appointed pursuant to motions to resolve the differences between the two houses on House Bill No. 275 (Senate Bill No. 327) has met and recommends that all amendments be deleted.

The Committee further recommends that the following be adopted:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-50-502(5), is amended by deleting the subdivision and by substituting instead the following:
- (5) By any member of the general assembly, the amount and source, by name, of any:
 - (A) Contributions from private sources for use in defraying the expenses necessarily related to the adequate performance of that member's legislative duties. The expenditure of campaign funds by an officeholder for the furtherance of the office of the officeholder is considered an expenditure under title 2, chapter 10, and such expenditures need not be reported under this chapter; and
 - (B) Travel expenses, including any expenses incidental to such travel, paid on behalf of the member by a person with an interest in a public policy of this state if the travel was for the purpose of informing or advising the member with respect to the public policy. Travel expenses does not include expenses for travel, if such expenses are paid for or reimbursed by a governmental entity or an established and recognized organization of elected or appointed state government officials, staff of

state government officials, or both officials and staff, or any other established and recognized organization that is an umbrella organization for such officials, staff, or both officials and staff;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall only apply to travel expenses incurred on or after the effective date of this act.

/s/ Senator Doug Overby	/s/ Representative Gerald McCormick
/s/ Senator Ken Yager	/s/ Representative Matthew Hill
/s/ Senator Jeff Yarbro	/s/ Representative Craig Fitzhugh

Rep. McCormick moved that the Report of the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 275** be adopted and made the action of the house, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	84
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Zachary, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 84

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member has been excused, pursuant to request under **Rule No. 20:**

Representative Zachary

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, House Bill No. 16. The Senate refused to recede from its action in adopting Senate Amendment(s) No. 1. The Speaker appointed a Conference Committee composed of Senators: Kelsey, Southerland, and Watson to confer with a like committee from the House in open conference to resolve the differences between the bodies on House Bill No. 16.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Bill No. 16 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, authorizes members of the general assembly and political campaign committees to fundraise during a recess in even-numbered years if the general assembly adjourns before May 15 for a period of not less than 10 calendar days, Sundays excepted. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10, Part 3. by *Goins.

Rep. Stewart moved that the Minority Report of the Conference Committee on **House Bill No. 16** be adopted and made the action of the house.

MINORITY CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 16

The House and Senate Conference Committee appointed pursuant to motions to resolve the differences between the two houses on House Bill No. 16 (Senate Bill No. 38) has met and recommends that the following amendments be deleted: Senate Amendment No. 1

/s/ Representative Mike Stewart

Rep. Goins moved that the Minority Conference Committee Report to **House Bill No. 16** be tabled, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	41
Noes	40

Representatives voting aye were: Brooks K., Butt, Carter, Casada, Crawford, Curcio, Doss, Eldridge, Faison, Forgety, Gant, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Marsh, McCormick, McDaniel, Moody, Ragan, Reedy, Rudd, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Tillis, Travis, White D., White M., Williams -- 41

Representatives voting no were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Camper, Carr, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Daniel, Dunn, Fitzhugh, Gilmore, Hardaway, Hawk, Hulsey, Jernigan, Jones, Lollar, Love, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Pody, Powell, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Smith, Staples, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Thompson, Towns, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, Whitson, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 40

Rep. Goins moved that House Bill No. 16 be reset for 2018, which motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Casada moved that the rules be suspended for the immediate consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 464 out of order, which motion prevailed.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 464 -- General Assembly, Adjournment - Adjourns 2017 session on May 10, 2017. by *Norris.

On motion of Rep. Casada, the resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

SELECT COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Representative Casada moved that the Speaker appoint a committee to notify the Senate that the House has completed its business for the First Regular Session and is ready to adjourn.

The Speaker announced that she had appointed the following committee to notify the Senate that the House has completed its business for the First Regular Session and is ready to adjourn: Representatives Staples, Reedy, Crawford and Johnson. Speaker Pro Tem Johnson served as the Chair of this Committee.

Representative Casada moved that the Speaker appoint a committee to notify the Governor that the House has completed its business for the First Regular Session and is ready to adjourn.

The Speaker announced that she had appointed the following committee to notify the Governor that the House has completed its business for the First Regular Session and is ready to adjourn: Representatives Tillis, Gant, T. Hill and McDaniel. Deputy Speaker McDaniel served as the Chair of this Committee.

RECESS MOTION

The House stood in a brief recess pending the return of the select committees.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Speaker Pro Tem Johnson advised the House that the Senate had been notified that the House has completed its business for the First Regular Session and is ready to adjourn.

Deputy Speaker McDaniel advised the House that the Governor had been notified that the House has completed its business for the First Regular Session and is ready to adjourn.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Senate to notify the House that the Senate has completed its business and is ready to adjourn in accordance with Senate Joint Resolution No. 464.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SENATE READY TO ADJOURN

Senator Paul Bailey notified the House that the Senate had completed its business and was ready to adjourn.

JOURNAL APPROVED

On motion of Rep. Casada, the Journal of the House of Representatives and the proceedings thereof were approved from the First Organizational Day through the Third Organizational Day and the First Legislative Day through the Thirty-Eighth Legislative Day of the First Regular Session.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 752 The Senate adopted the Conference Committee Report and made it the action of the Senate.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500 and 528; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Resolutions Nos. 168, 169, 170, 171 and 172; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED May 10, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Resolutions Nos. 168, 169, 170, 171 and 172.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 74, 224, 1434, 1438, 1439, 1441, 1444, 1447, 1448, 1449, 1450 and 1451; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, HB1306. The Senate moved to lift from the table the motion to reconsider on HB1306. The Senate moved to reconsider its action in passing HB1306. The Senate moved to reconsider its action in adopting Amendment No(s). one. The Senate withdrew Amendment No(s). one. The Senate repassed HB1306.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 1453; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, HB1288. The Senate moved to lift from the table the motion to reconsider on HB1288. The Senate moved to reconsider its action in passing HB1288. The Senate moved to reconsider its action in adopting Amendment No(s). one. The Senate withdrew Amendment No(s). one. The Senate repassed HB1288.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, HB192. The Senate adopted the Conference Committee Report and made it the action of the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 22, 1367 and 1454; substituted for Senate Bills on same subjects and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 31, 34, 196, 310, 311, 343, 379, 384, 409, 414, 452, 526, 683, 720, 726, 763, 820, 1170, 1286, 1360, 1415 and 1418; For the signature of the Speaker.

SIGNED May 10, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Bills Nos. 31, 34, 196, 310, 311, 343, 379, 384, 409, 414, 452, 526, 683, 720, 726, 763, 820, 1170, 1286, 1360, 1415 and 1418.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bills Nos. 74, 224, 1434, 1438, 1439, 1441, 1444, 1447, 1448, 1449, 1450 and 1451; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 508, 752 and 975; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bill No. 1453; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 275. The Senate adopted the Conference Committee Report and made it the action of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 10, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578 and 579; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

RECESS MOTION

Thereupon, in accordance with Senate Joint Resolution No. 464, Rep. Casada moved that the House stand adjourned. Madam Speaker Harwell declared the First Regular Session of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Tenth General Assembly adjourned until twelve o'clock noon (12:00 p.m.) on Tuesday, January 9, 2018.

ENROLLED BILLS May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 6, 331, 333, 387, 418, 420, 452, 466, 488, 553, 585, 810, 812, 992, 1013, 1067, 1169, 1276, 1296, 1322 and 1381; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500 and 528; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 463; For the signature of the Speaker.

SIGNED May 11, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolution No. 463.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

SIGNED May 11, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Bills Nos. 508, 752, 975 and 1453.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 529, 530, 540, 556, 557, 558 and 579; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED May 11, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 529, 530, 540, 556, 557, 558 and 579.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 529, 530, 540, 556, 557, 558 and 579; signed by the Speaker.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Bills Nos. 99, 174, 267, 628, 647, 664, 862, 959, 1021, 1164, 1289, 1291, 1373, 1424, 1426, 1436, 1443, 1445, 1446 and 1452; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR May 11, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Bills Nos. 106, 419, 1271 and 1292; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 12, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 529, 530, 540, 556, 557, 558 and 579; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR May 12, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 529, 530, 540, 556, 557, 558 and 579; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

ENROLLED BILLS May 12, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 22, 192, 261, 275, 335, 438, 531, 910, 1041, 1207, 1209, 1288, 1306, 1367 and 1454; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 12, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 559, 560, 561 and 562; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED May 12, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 559, 560, 561 and 562.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 12, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 559, 560, 561 and 562; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 15, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577 and 578; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED May 15, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577 and 578.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 15, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 559, 560, 561 and 562; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS May 15, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 511, 512, 513 and 514; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 15, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577 and 578; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 15, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 641; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

*Senate Bill No. 641 -- Annexation - As introduced, allows voters residing within an area annexed by a municipality to petition the county election commission to hold an election to deannex such territory; specifies the taxes that may continue to be levied on a deannexed area; prohibits the extension or continuation of utility services outside municipal boundaries to obtain consent to annexation. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51 and Title 54, Chapter 4, Part 2. by *Watson, *Bowling, *Gardenhire, *Tate, *Green. (HB943 by *Carter, *White M, *Thompson)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 15, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 59, 250, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 446, 448, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461 and 462; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED May 15, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 59, 250, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 446, 448, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461 and 462.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 16, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577 and 578; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR May 16, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 559, 560, 561 and 562; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR May 17, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Bills Nos. 74, 224, 1434, 1438, 1439, 1441, 1444, 1447, 1448, 1449, 1450 and 1451; also House Joint Resolutions Nos. 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577 and 578; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

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REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 18, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bills Nos. 508, 752, 975 and 1453; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 18, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 508, 752, 975 and 1453; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 18, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos 125, 298, 318, 438, 644, 700, 703, 1016, 1059, 1087 and 1340; and Senate Joint Resolution No. 464; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED May 18, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Bills Nos. 6, 22, 192, 261, 275, 331, 333, 335, 387, 418, 420, 438, 488, 511, 512, 513, 514, 531, 553, 585, 810, 812, 910, 992, 1013, 1041, 1067, 1149, 1169, 1207, 1209, 1276, 1288, 1296, 1306, 1322, 1367, 1381 and 1454.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED May 18, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolution No. 464.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

SIGNED May 18, 2017

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Bills Nos. 125, 298, 318, 438, 644, 700, 703, 1016, 1059, 1087 and 1340.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 23, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 6, 22, 192, 261, 275, 331, 333, 335, 387, 418, 420, 438, 488, 511, 512, 513, 514, 531, 553, 585, 810, 812, 910, 992, 1013, 1041, 1067, 1169, 1207, 1209, 1276, 1288, 1296, 1306, 1322, 1367, 1381 and 1454; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 23, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bill No. 531; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK May 23, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bills Nos. 6, 22, 192, 261, 275, 331, 333, 335, 387, 418, 420, 438, 488, 511, 512, 513, 514, 553, 585 and 810; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE May 23, 2017

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 76, 120 and 151; For the signature of the Speaker.